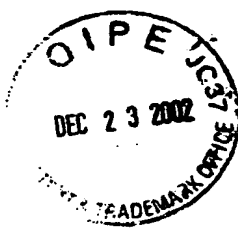


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To the Assistant Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith is a Second Supplemental Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
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Total Claims	19	Minus	20	0	X 42	\$
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- _____ A check in the amount of \$ _____ for additional claims (large entity) is enclosed.
- _____ A check in the amount of \$ _____ for a _____ month extension of time is attached.
- _____ Charge \$ _____ to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

Respectfully submitted,

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SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner
For Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicant herewith further amends several of the
claims submitted in Amendment A dated October 10, 2002.

In the Claims:

Please amend claims 20, 27, 31 and 32 as follows:

20. (Twice Amended) An electronic thermometer
comprising:

a display device (6) for displaying a temperature of
an associated object under temperature measurement in a
predetermined display digit number;

a temperature measurement device (3) for generating
a temperature measurement signal based on the temperature
of the associated object;

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